

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

JERRY CROSS,

Petitioner,

2:17-cv-00290-JCM-VCF

vs.

ORDER

BRIAN WILLIAMS, SR., *et al.*,

## Respondents.

In this habeas corpus case, the court has ordered the petitioner, Nevada prisoner Jerry Cross, to either pay the \$5 filing fee or file a new and complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, including the required financial certificate, by March 24, 2017. *See Order* entered February 6, 2017 (ECF No. 3). On March 7, 2017, Cross filed a request for an extension of that deadline, stating that he has had difficulty obtaining the financial certificate for his application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 4).

The court finds that Cross' motion for extension of time is made in good faith and not solely for the purpose of delay, and that there is good cause for the extension of time he requests.

23           **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that petitioner's motion for extension of time (ECF  
24 No. 4) is **GRANTED**. Petitioner shall have until and including **April 28, 2017**, to either pay the \$5  
25 filing fee for this action, or file a new and complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*,  
26 including the required financial certificate.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk of the Court shall send to petitioner, along with a copy of this order, two form *in forma pauperis* applications.

Dated March 10, 2017.

Xem C. Mahan  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE